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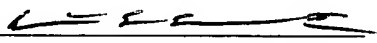
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**COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

Applicant respectfully objects to the Examiner's statement of reasons for allowance set forth in the Notice of Allowability. Applicant submits that the claims are allowable because each claim recites a useful, novel and nonobvious invention relative to the prior art. Applicant further submits that dependent claims 2-9 recite patentable subject matter in their own right and not solely based on their dependence on independent claim 1.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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